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STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Applicant/Patent Owner: Robert L. Miller II, et. al.

Application No./Patent No.: _____ Filed/Issue Date: _____

Entitled: ELEMENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM AND METHOD UTILIZING PROVISION TEMPLATES

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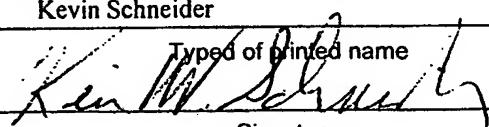
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